

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: Kruer, K. Äpplicant(s): Yamanaka et al.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), an extension of time of

one month	[X]	\$ 110.00	Small Entity	[]\$	55.00
two months	( )	390.00		[]	195.00
three months	[ ]	890.00		[ ]	445.00
four months	[ ]	1,390.00		[ ]	695.00
five months	[ ]	1,890.00		[ ]	945.00

[ ] An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filling above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_) equals (\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due))

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

is hereby requested to

[ ] respond to the Office Action mailed

[ ] file a Notice of Appeal;

[X] file an Appeal Brief now due March 1, 2001

other (specify); File a Continued Prosecution [X] Application

[ ] Please charge the requisite fee, \$\_\_\_\_, to Deposit Account No. 04-1121.

Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) which may become due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and/or 1.17, at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s), to Deposit Account No. 04-1121. TWO (2) COPIES OF THIS SHEET ARE ENCLOSED.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this Preliminary Amendment is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date March 1, 2001 an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EL484185695US addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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